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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.50(b)(1) and in response to the new ground of rejection presented in Decision of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences decided May 28, 2010 and remaining after the Decision on the Request for Rehearing mailed November 23, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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